

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A golf club shaft comprising:
an intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet having a tensile modulus of elasticity of 30 ton/mm² to 33 ton/mm² and a tensile strength of not less than 5000 MPa; and

a low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet having a tensile modulus of elasticity of 5 ton/mm² to 10 ton/mm² and compressive breaking strain of not less than 2.0%,

each of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet and said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet being used to reinforce a tip side of said golf club shaft, wherein each of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet and said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet is disposed from said tip to a position located at not more than 20% of an overall length of said golf club shaft.

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 1, wherein each of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength

carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet and said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet has a length not less than 8% nor more than 15% of an overall length of said golf club shaft and is disposed from said tip of said golf club shaft toward a butt thereof.

4. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 2, wherein each of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet and said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet has a length not less than 8% nor more than 15% of an overall length of said golf club shaft and is disposed from said tip of said golf club shaft toward a butt thereof.

5. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 1, wherein a weight M1 of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber and a weight M2 of said low-elasticity carbon fiber satisfy a relationship of:
 $0.5 \leq \text{a ratio of said weight M1 to said weight M2} \leq 3.0$.

6. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 2, wherein a weight M1 of said intermediate-elasticity and high-

strength carbon fiber and a weight M2 of said low-elasticity carbon fiber satisfy a relationship of:

$0.5 \leq a$ ratio of said weight M1 to said weight M2 ≤ 3.0 .

7. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 3, wherein a weight M1 of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber and a weight M2 of said low-elasticity carbon fiber satisfy a relationship of:

$0.5 \leq a$ ratio of said weight M1 to said weight M2 ≤ 3.0 .

8. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 4, wherein a weight M1 of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber and a weight M2 of said low-elasticity carbon fiber satisfy a relationship of:

$0.5 \leq a$ ratio of said weight M1 to said weight M2 ≤ 3.0 .

9. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 1, wherein said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet is disposed outward from said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet; and

said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet has the same configuration as that of said intermediate-elasticity and

high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet or is larger than said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet.

10. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 2, wherein said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet is disposed outward from said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet; and

said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet has the same configuration as that of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet or is larger than said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet.

11. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 3, wherein said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet is disposed outward from said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet; and

said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet has the same configuration as that of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet or is larger

than said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet.

12. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 4, wherein said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet is disposed outward from said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet; and

said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet has the same configuration as that of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet or is larger than said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet.

13. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 5, wherein said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet is disposed outward from said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet; and

said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet has the same configuration as that of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet or is larger than said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet.

14. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 6, wherein said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet is disposed outward from said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet; and

said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet has the same configuration as that of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet or is larger than said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet.

15. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 7, wherein said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet is disposed outward from said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet; and

said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet has the same configuration as that of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet or is larger than said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet.

16. (Original) The golf club shaft according to claim 8, wherein said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet

is disposed outward from said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet; and

said low-elasticity carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet has the same configuration as that of said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet or is larger than said intermediate-elasticity and high-strength carbon fiber reinforced resinous sheet.